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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Alan Courtay
Application No.: 10/683,925 Art Unit.: 2123
Filing Date: 10/10/2003 Examiner: Russell L. Guill
For: "Mixed-Signal Finite State Machine Models Ensuring Analog Continuity"

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Date: March 16, 2007

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

2. **STATUS**: Applicant is other than a small entity.

3. **EXTENSION OF TERM:** The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

4. **FEE FOR CLAIMS:** The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col.1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(Col. 2) Highest No. Previously Paid For	(Col. 3) Present Extra	LARGE ENTITY Rate	Addit. Fee
Total	10	Minus	20	= 0	x $50 =	$0
Indep.	1	Minus	3	= 0	x $200 =	$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ $360 =	$0
					Total Addit. Fee	$0

No additional fee for claims is required.

5. **FEE DEFICIENCY:** If any additional extension and/or fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0574.

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